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ALREADY FEELS AX

MR. GOBBLER AND FAMILY HAVE PREMONITION OF SLAUGHTER.

PREPARING FOR WORST

He Will Sell For 20 Cents Per Pound For Thanksgiving—Turkeys Are Plentiful.

Mr. Turkey Gobbler, well known in these parts for his splendid meat, is now preparing his last will and testament, and his mate and all her children are getting ready for the worst—for the day of Thanksgiving for humanity and of sorrow and grief for the larger members of the feathered tribe is fast approaching. Farmers have been heard to say that all of the fowls of the farmyard seem to have a premonition of the destiny that awaits them, as about this time of the year there is great commotion among them, and even the tamest of the flock are hard to catch from the first of November to the first of January, says the Creston Advertiser-Gazette.

Turkeys are plentiful in this part of the country this year, and it is thought that the price at Thanksgiving and Christmas time will be nearer the size of the purse of the laboring man than for a good many years past. The dry weather of the spring and summer was favorable for turkey raising, and the few farmers that give attention to it say they saved more of the young turkeys last summer than ever before. The farmer is now getting 12½ cents per pound for live turkeys, and unless there is an increase between now and Thanksgiving they will cost the consumer 20 cents per pound dressed, or 2½ cents per pound cheaper than a year ago. Geese are now selling for 12½ cents per pound dressed, ducks for about 20 cents per pound dressed, and chickens for 15 cents dressed.

The pumpkin, the chief requisite of the Thanksgiving pastry, is not to be found in abundance this year, as it usually is. The dry season was hard on the plant that produces the big yellow fruit, and as a consequence where the farmer planted many seeds last spring with the expectation of having pumpkins by the wagon load this fall, they were only scattered when it came time to gather them and the largest are not much larger than the smallest in other years. The celery now on the market here is grown in California. It did not do much good around here the past season, and all that was raised is already used. Cranberries are also scarce and are bringing a higher price this winter than for a good many years. Oysters are of the finest quality this year.

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THE WILL WAS SUSTAINED.

In Meadows vs. Meadows Case at Savannah Defendant Won.

A will contest case of Meadows vs. Meadows was tried at Savannah Thursday in the Andrew county circuit court before Judge Burns, and after the case was started it was taken away from the jury by the court and the will sustained. The case was sent to Andrew county from Holt county on a change of venue. The parties in the suit lived near Maitland.

Shinabarger, Blagg & Ellison of this city were the attorneys for the defendant.

Guilford People in Town.

Mrs. Mary Richards, Miss Beulah Richards, Claude Richards, Ollie Bright, W. D. Torrance, Constable J. L. Porter, Huston Wilson, Roy George and Raymond Wilson and John Aldridge, all of Guilford, were attending to court business Friday.

Miss May Whitten of Stanberry, who has been a guest at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ballenger, south of Maryville, returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Alderman of Savannah are in Maryville Friday for a day's visit with Mr. Alderman's brother, C. J. Alderman, and family.

REGARDS FOSS AS A "HOPE."

But Underwood is a Standpatter, Bryan's Commoner Says.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 17.—Praise of Governor Foss of Massachusetts as a presidential possibility and criticism of Harmon and Underwood feature the first page of Bryan's editorial comment in today's issue of the Commoner. Of Foss, Bryan says:

The re-election of Governor Foss in Massachusetts on a radical platform advances his stock in the presidential market. He was elected a year ago and is now re-elected on a platform that leaves no doubt as to his positive and aggressive stand for remedial legislation. If you are a progressive Democrat, read the Massachusetts platform and the election returns and then ask yourself, "What's the matter with Foss?"

The Commoner is not attempting to express an opinion as to the relative availability of the various progressives who are being discussed, but it takes pleasure in calling attention to the fact that Governor Foss is not only one of the men to be considered, but to the further fact that his claims upon the party have been materially strengthened by the endorsement just given him by the voters of Massachusetts.

Mr. Bryan's judgment is that the Harmon strength is showing signs of shifting to Representative Underwood of Alabama, concerning whom Bryan says:

His nomination would, however, be unfortunate for the south, for his defeat would be wrongfully charged to his location instead of being charged, as it should be, to the fact that he is not in harmony with the progressive spirit of the day.

If the south wants the candidate, and there is no reason why that section should not have him, it should select some one who will appeal to the progressive element in all parties. It is hard enough for a Republican to be a standpatter now. A Democratic standpatter is more lonesome still.

If any Democrat has expected to carry the east with a plutocratic Democrat, he might as well give up the idea. There is no possible chance of the Democrats getting the Wall street support. If they win they must win with the aid of the progressive Republicans, and they cannot hope for that unless their candidate is a man about whose progressiveness there is no doubt.

Let the Democrats gird themselves for the fight and from now on demand platform and ticket in harmony with the progressive sentiment of the country.

DANTE'S "INFERNO."

To Be Given in Motion Pictures at Empire Next Monday and Tuesday.

Never before has an attempt been made to present to the public work of the merit and magnitude possessed by Dante's "Inferno" until a band of renowned Italian artists determined to make this work accessible to the masses by arranging a representation of it in moving pictures. This gigantic task occupied more than two years, and engaged the arduous and unremitting efforts of these artists. The result of their labors has been extraordinary. They have produced what must be regarded as the crowning achievement in moving pictures.

The work, consisting of five reels and constituting a full evening's entertainment, will be presented with a suitable lecture and special music with effects at the Empire theater on Monday and Tuesday evenings, Nov. 20 and 21.

ALL ROADS LEAD TO TARKIO FIVE FAST

MARYVILLE MAY WELL ADOPT THE OLD ROMAN SLOGAN.

ANOTHER ONE PROPOSED THEIR TEAM WORK GOOD

The Omaha-Kansas City Short Line is the Latest One Under Consideration.

Maryville seems to be the hub for a number of automobile highways. We are now on the Saints Highway from St. Joseph to Des Moines, and will soon be on the National Highway, a trail from Canada to the Gulf of Mexico.

The new automobile highway being proposed now is one from Kansas City to Omaha by the way of Maryville. Mr. McIntyre of Shenandoah, Ia., who is one of the backers of the new trail, was in Maryville Thursday in conference with Secretary G. B. Roseberry of the Commercial club in regard to the road.

The road from Omaha to St. Joseph has been practically decided on. From Omaha the white line trail will be taken to Shenandoah, and at that place the Waubunse trail taken to Clarinda, Ia. From Clarinda the trail will go to Burlington Junction, and then on to Maryville.

From Maryville the Saints Highway will be used to St. Joseph.

The name of the trail is to be called the Omaha-Kansas City Short Line.

The proposed trail will be established if it meets with enough encouragement from the various towns on the road.

TO GIVE A BANQUET.

The Owls Arranging for One for Monday Night, Being Its Anniversary Day.

The Owls are arranging to give a banquet Monday evening at the armory hall, over the Tribune, as that day is the anniversary day of the order. The committee in charge of the affair is composed of Clyde Avitt, chairman; William Hansen, Roy Yeaman, Roy Martin, John Wallace and M. Nusbaum.

After-dinner speeches are to be given and George B. Baker will preside as toastmaster at the banquet. All kinds of game, such as possum, roast pig, ducks, chickens and rabbits will be served.

All members of the local lodge are requested to meet at the lodge room promptly at 8 o'clock Monday evening, and march in a body to the banquet.

SET FOR JANUARY 2.

Rasco Case to Be Taken Up Then by the Supreme Court of Missouri.

Attorney E. G. Cook, one of the attorneys for Hez Rasco, received word Thursday that the Rasco case was docketed on the supreme court docket for hearing January 2, 1912. At this time the court will simply hear the case, and a decision will not be given until March or April.

Attorney Cook visited Rasco in the Buchanan county jail at St. Joseph this week and he says that Hez is feeling fine and is in the best of spirits.

Destroyed Household Goods.

Fire caught the interior of the residence occupied by Everett Herdman and his wife, on North Mulberry street, Friday forenoon, and damaged the contents to such an extent that they are a total loss. The wall paper was burned and the woodwork was scorched. Mrs. Herdman does not know how the fire started. She lit the gasoline stove to cook dinner and went out of doors to get a bucket of water, and when she returned the whole interior of the house was on fire. The work of the fire department saved the house from burning. Mr. Herdman is employed as a tinner by the Campbell-Clark Hardware firm.

Pickering People Here.

James Saddler and his daughter Mrs. Fannie Vore; Charles Shopbell and his daughter, Miss Chloe Shopbell; Walter Johnson and John Young, all of Pickering, were in Maryville Friday attending court as witnesses in the John Young vs. Belle McArthur divorce suit. Mr. Shopbell was carrying his right arm in a sling, having sustained a break of that member a week ago when a horse he was harnessing backed against him.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Alderman of Savannah are in Maryville Friday for a day's visit with Mr. Alderman's brother, C. J. Alderman, and family.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Fruit to Odd Fellows' Home.

Fifty quarts of home canned fruit were shipped over the Burlington Friday to the Odd Fellows' home at Liberty, Mo., by the I. O. O. F. and Rebekah lodges of this city.

Mrs. Frank Will Entertain.

The Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the First Christian church will meet Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Arch Frank, 403 South Main street. Mrs. W. E. Goforth will be the leader. A full attendance of the members is earnestly desired.

Wedding Bands Published.

The wedding bands of Miss Alice Donahue and Mr. Earl Charles were published at St. Patrick's Catholic church Sunday morning. The bride-elect is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Donahue, living north of Maryville. Mr. Charles is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Charles. The wedding will take place Wednesday morning, November 29, at St. Patrick's Catholic church.

Party at the Elks.

One of the most successful affairs given at the Elks was the party given Thursday evening by the officers of that lodge to the members and their lady friends. Some 140 people were present at the party. Cards and dominoes were played and Mrs. Conrad Yehle won the ladies' prize at cards, being a lady's Elk brooch, and W. R. Smiley won the men's prize, an Elk pennant. At dominoes Mrs. D. R. Eversole won the ladies' prize, a lady's Elk brooch, and D. R. Eversole won the gentleman's prize, an Elk pennant. His forward got but one goal.

The second half of the game was marred as the result of a dispute with Mr. Gowdy, the referee. He referred a very good game, but was slightly rusty on the rules. Gowdy was a member of the Tarkio college team that trounced the Normals so soundly three years ago.

The Tarkio team left on the Burlington train Friday for Clearfield, Ia., where they play tonight. On Saturday high school five at Bedford. The line-ups:

Tarkio—Ewing, right forward; Thomas, left forward; McPherson, center; Peterson, right guard; Hill, left guard.

Normal—H. Seymour, right forward; Perrin, left forward; Mitchell, center; McClintock, right guard; McGrew, left guard.

Summary—Field goals, Thomas 6, McPherson 2, Perrin 3, Seymour 6, Mitchell 2. Free throws, Thomas 8, Ewing 2, Perrin 5, Seymour 3.

Two points awarded Tarkio.

Referee, Gowdy, Tarkio.

Umpire, Quinn, Maryville high school.

Guests from Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. William Foyd and son and daughter, Lawrence and Margaret, of Washington, D. C., arrived in Maryville Friday noon for a two days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crosson.

The visitors are in the county for a visit until Thanksgiving time with Mrs. Foyd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jensen, of near Bedison.

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Visitors from Virginia.

Mrs. Etta Dempsey and Mr. and Mrs. William Brame and their daughter, Miss Virginia, of Fredericksburg, Va., arrived in Maryville Thursday on a visit to the families of H. P. Childress and James Brame of Prather avenue.

Mrs. Dempsey and Mrs. Brame are sisters of Mr. Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Brame are the parents of James Brame.

Has Another Granddaughter.

J. H. Aley of this city has received announcement of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Peery of Brimmon, Mo., on Monday, November 13. Mrs. Peery is Mr. Aley's eldest daughter. The Peery family now has two daughters.

Returned From Visit.

Mr. and Mrs. William Funk returned Friday forenoon from a week's visit at Graham with Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Hamm. They visited over Thanksgiving evening, when Mr. and Mrs. Harry Farrar will entertain the club and their families.

Mothers' Circle Had Good Meeting.

The meeting of the Mothers' Circle was well attended Friday afternoon, when the newly furnished emergency room at the high school was opened for inspection. Devotional exercises were led by the president, Mrs. Eugene Ogden. Mrs. S. E. Farmer gave a very interesting paper on "Children's Companions," and a paper by Mrs. Berney Harris on "Why Do We

WAS DIVORCE DAY

COURT ORDERED DECREES IN FOUR DIVORCES.

OTHER CASES TAKEN UP

Were Mainly Perfect Title and Partition Suits—Many Cases Are Being Disposed Of.

Friday was divorce day in circuit court. The divorce suit of Sarah Edeline Groves vs. Melvin Robert Groves was continued on application and cost of the plaintiff.

John C. Young was given a divorce from Belle Young by the court. Mr. Young is a resident of Pickering.

A decree of divorce was also given by the court to William L. Wilson of Guilford from his wife, Nora J. Wilson.

Another decree of divorce was granted by the court to Florence Yeamann. Her maiden name was also ordered restored to her.

In the divorce case of Mary Ethel Lawrence vs. John S. Lawrence, the court, after hearing the evidence, gave a decree for the plaintiff and ordered that her maiden name of Mary Ethel Dean be restored.

In the perfect title suit of Milo M. Ashford vs. Lorenzo L. Stollard et al., a decree was given by the court for the plaintiff.

In the perfect title suit of Allie L. Woolley and Lillie M. Ferrell vs. James Curl, et al., a decree is given to the plaintiffs as prayed for. Also a decree was given to the plaintiff in the perfect title suit of James E. Strickler vs. R. K. Jones et al. In another perfect title suit the court found for the plaintiff in the case of John E. Sell vs. James E. McCandless et al.

In the partition suit of Clara M. Fannon and Nancy L. Fannon vs. Charles Fannon et al., a decree of partition and a sale by sheriff was ordered, the court finding that all the allegations of petition to be true.

Brought Mother Here.

Mrs. J. G. Milby of Carthage, Ill., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Eckles, and family the past week, left for her home Friday morning. Mrs. Milby was accompanied to Maryville by her mother, Mrs. Mary McGinness, who will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Eckles, and family.

Rough Weather Today.

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**Largest Circulation in
Nodaway County**

In the case of the International Harvester company the supreme court is about to unscramble another bad egg.

St. Joseph has a policeman who must have been a night watch at a poultry plant. He was detailed the other day to arrest a fleeing burglar described as having "a cap on." He went out and soon returned with a local citizen whom he found carrying a rooster.

This promises to be a good winter for the coal men and the clothing merchant. We haven't consulted the goosebone nor the corn husks, but the law of averages indicates a cold winter. The ultimate temperature of the years will strike a common average and the long hot summer must be compensated either by a severe winter or a cool summer in 1912.

Dudley A. Reid, formerly editor of the Nodaway Forum of this city, announces that he has traded an interest in his Bethany Democrat to W. Claud Brown for the Gilman City Guide. He also announces that he will take a vacation from newspaper work and accept an appointment at Washington during the coming session of congress. Dudley has secured a live hustling partner and an excellent printer in Mr. Brown, and his many friends in this county will rejoice in his good fortune in securing a berth at Washington during the coming session of congress, which will be the most interesting and important session within the past twenty years.

FRUITS OF BAD HABITS AND BAD COMPANY.

A freak of the law has just been developed in the case of a man in Kansas. Two years ago he was arrested while drunk in the company of another party on the charge of stealing a grip valued at \$7 from a train. He was a stranger and he was sentenced to the penitentiary for a term of seven years. After he had served a year and a half of the term it was proved that his companion had stolen the grip and, upon the recommendation of the prosecuting attorney and trial judge, the governor paroled the convict. Why he was not pardoned has not been explained.

After gaining his liberty the fellow went to work and when he got out of work in Kansas he left the state. He thus violated his parole and he was brought back and again put in prison. He was a stranger in Kansas when first arrested, and his past record has not been without blemish, so it is very likely that he will have to serve the remainder of the seven years for a crime which it is admitted he did not commit. He has but one hope of liberty. If the newspapers make enough noise public sentiment may be aroused to the point of urging fair play and may get the case before the proper officials.

Such a condition not only illustrates a ridiculous freak of the law, but it also should serve as a warning to young men that the penalty of bad habits and bad company is frequently severe. Character stains so made are hard to wash out, and they are hard to run away from. This unfortunate man owes his dilemma to the fact that he was drunk and in the company of a self-confessed thief. The law in theory presumes every man innocent until he is proved guilty, but public sentiment generally rules the suspected man guilty until he proves himself innocent.

**NEWS OF SOCIETY
AND WOMEN'S CLUBS**

(Continued from page 1.)
Need an Equipped Playground? was instructive. The round table discussion was well conducted, and the aims and practical methods of co-operating and purposes of the Mothers' Circle between home and school was talked of from both the teachers' and parents' standpoint. Miss Nelle Wray and Miss Lillian Lindholm gave several vocal numbers that added much to the program. A visit to the emergency room was enjoyed, and the Circle has every reason to feel proud of their success in getting the room so well equipped as it is. The board of education had the walls tinted and the floors stained and polished and the Circle did the rest. There are three beautiful rugs on the floor and the furniture is the mission style, finished in leather, and consists of a lounge, two easy chairs and one straight chair. The cabinet is furnished with everything that would be needed in an ordinary case of sickness or accident. The table is a fine piece of workmanship and was made and presented by the high school manual training school. Some more pillows would add to the comfort of the room, as there is but one pillow.

O. D. O. Bridge Club.

At the meeting of the O. D. O. Bridge club Thursday afternoon, which met with Miss Della Gremm, the highest score was made by Mrs. Charles Jackson.

The players were Mrs. Frank Shoemaker, Miss Esther Shoemaker, Miss Susie Ellison, Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend, Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Mrs. Berney Harris, Mrs. George Lorance, Miss Rena Sturm and Miss Clara Sturm.

Mrs. D. J. Thomas entertained the club week ago, Miss Susie Ellison winning the highest score for the day. The winners of the prizes for the second series of games, which closed that day, were Mrs. N. C. Covey first, Miss Esther Shoemaker second, and Mrs. C. C. Hellmers third. The first prize was a silver sandwich plate, the second a handsome bridge score pad, and the third a sterling silver hair brush.

The winners of the first series of games stood as follows: Miss Esther Shoemaker first, Miss Della Gremm second and Mrs. D. J. Thomas third.

I X L Embroidery Club.

The I X L Embroidery club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. G. A. Pickens, all of the members being present except Mrs. Clinton Davis, who was absent from the city. There were two visitors present, Mrs. Lynn of Chicago, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Bantz, and Mrs. M. A. Peery.

The next meeting of the club will be December 6th at the home of Mrs. Walter Mutz. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Pickens. She was assisted in serving by Mrs. Wilbur Smith.

Newspaper Law.

The preparation and publication of a newspaper involves much mental and physical labor as well as an outlay of money. One who accepts the paper by continuously taking it from the postoffice receives a benefit and pleasure arising from such labor and expenditure as fully as if he had appropriated any other products or another's labor, and by such act he must be held liable for the subscription price.—Missouri Court of Appeals.

Miss Leila Bonewitz and Mrs. E. B. Sheldon attended the funeral services of the late Mrs. J. Flemming Robb at Hopkins Friday afternoon. Mrs. Robb was an intimate friend of Miss Bonewitz.

RAILWAY OFFICIALS INDICTED

Federal Grand Jury Returns Bills Against Several New York and Chicago Firms.

New York, Nov. 17.—Thirteen indictments were returned by the federal grand jury, which has been investigating charges of rebates against several railway freight officials and members of firms here and in Chicago. The inquiry has been conducted with unusual secrecy.

All of the indictments are similar except as to the details of the particular transaction and contain in all 45 counts. The alleged rebating was on shipments of merchandise between this city and Chicago.

To Mark the Old Trails.

Columbia, Mo., Nov. 17.—The executive committee of the Old Trails Road association will meet in Kansas City in December to plan permanent marking of the cross-state highway and to consider the formation of a national Old Trails Road association.

Lost a Leg for Missouri.

Springfield, Mo., Nov. 17.—After losing his leg in a quarrel with a North Dakota man who insisted that his state was equal to Missouri, Z. W. Hoppe of Willow Springs is suing his antagonist, Edward Janke, in the circuit court for \$8,000 damages.

25c

Grab Sale

25c

Last week we started our Grab Sale with 1120 packages. Owing to the inclemency of the weather there were about 275 left. We will offer them Saturday. Last week John McGeehee got the lady's watch and F. H. Dowden the gentleman's watch.

In order to get the sale over in a hurry we will put a package in with the others containing a small diamond ring. There will also be one package containing 25,000 votes, one 20,000, one 15,000, one 10,000 and ten 5,000. No package will have less than 200 votes and we guarantee that no article in any of the packages retailed for less than 35¢.

**Come Early if You Expect to Get a Grab.
Sale Starts Promptly at Nine o'Clock.**

Raines Brothers, Jewelers and Opticians

109 West Third St.

CITY BASKET BALL LEAGUE.

If a Team Can Be Found to Take Place
of Business College.

Representatives of the Normal, high school and Company F met at the Normal Thursday night for the purpose of organizing a four-team basketball league. But as the Business college refused to enter a team in the tournament, the plan was abandoned. If the committee can find a team to take the place of the Business college team a city league will no doubt be organized about the first of the year.

The Rose Maiden.

A large audience will hear "The Rose Maiden" at the First Christian church Friday night, as the tickets are selling readily. This will be the greatest production of the kind ever heard in Maryville, and that fact is recognized by Maryville lovers of music. Mr. Becker and his chorus have been working hard a long time on this oratorio, and it is to their credit that such good music is being presented to us. The soloists are well known and popular, and the entire chorus is in perfect training for executing this beautiful story in song.

Sixty voices in "The Rose Maiden" at the Christian church Friday night.

Visiting Their Doctor Brothers.

Edward Ahrens and his sister, Miss Hannah Ahrens, of Atlantic, Ia., were in Maryville Friday morning on their way to Bedford, Ia., to visit their brother, Dr. Harvey Ahrens. They had been visiting another brother, Dr. Lewis Ahrens, at Braddyville, Ia.

Returned to Maryville.

W. J. Montgomery arrived in Maryville Friday morning for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery. He has been traveling in Oklahoma and Arkansas, with headquarters at Ft. Smith, Ark.

The oratorio "The Rose Maiden" at the Christian church Friday night.

Attended Funeral of Friend.

Mrs. G. Maier of this city and her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Bush of Clearmont, went to Hopkins Friday to attend the funeral services of their late friend, Mrs. J. Flemming Robb.

Mrs. J. M. Gibson of Chillicothe, Mo., was in Maryville Friday forenoon on her way home from a visit at her former home in Iowa City, Ia., and with relatives at Winterset and Creston, Ia.

Have you tried the steam cooked hominy made at the South Side Meat Market?

Seats reserved at the Bee Hive for "The Rose Maiden."

Todays Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.
Cattle—2,500. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 200.

Hogs—24,000. Market strong; top, \$6.67. Estimate tomorrow, 12,000.

Sheep—12,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—1,000. Market steady.

Hogs—10,000. Market strong; top, \$6.60.

Sheep—4,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—800. Market steady.

Hogs—6,500. Market strong; top, \$6.60.

Sheep—None.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK MARKET.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Nov. 18.—

Cattle receipts, 3,500. Market slow and steady. No prime steers here; best at \$7.75. Look for steady prices to continue this week. Outlook fair for next week.

Hog receipts, 14,500. Strong to 5¢ higher. Top, \$6.65; bulk, \$6.25@6.60.

The National topped the hog trade.

Sheep receipts, 3,000. Slow, weak, steady market. Top lambs, \$5.75. Fat ewes at \$3.25@3.35.

National Live Stock Commission Co.

PILE CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50¢.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bailey of Lawn avenue returned home Friday noon from a week's visit with relatives in Savannah and Rosendale.

**Home Grown Alfalfa Hay
for Sale**

Second and third crops, just baled from barn. A good color, full foliage and well baled. A choice hay, I believe, per ton, \$18. delivered. Sample at Braniger's feed store, east side square. Call or see Elmer Fraser. Bell phone 176.

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PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public sale at my farm, 1 mile south of Pickering and 6 miles north of Maryville, on

Thursday, Nov. 23, 1911

The following property: 16 cows, all red; 1 thoroughbred Shorthorn bull, 2 2-year-old heifers, 1 yearling heifer, 15 yearling steers, 13 steer calves, 2 heifer calves, 1 mare with colt by side, 70 shoats, weight from 100 to 125 pounds, in good flesh.

TERMS—All sums of \$10 and under cash. Over \$10 a credit of six months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Sale to begin at 11 o'clock. Ladies' Aid of Pickering will furnish lunch.

Chas. Evans, Auctioneer.
Howard Wray, Clerk.

ERY BOSCH

Mrs. Mary Paxton of Guilford was a business visitor in Maryville Friday.

Mrs. Charles McNeal went to St. Joseph Friday morning to spend the day.

FREE SAMPLE OF LAXATIVE CURED HIS CONSTIPATION

When a person has become disengaged through years of failure to find a cure, and finally, perhaps, gives up trying, it is small wonder that he becomes skeptical. And yet, to all who have constipation, we would say, "Try just one thing more."

We wish you would try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsi, a laxative tonic that has been used for a generation. Thousands are using it; surely some of your friends among the number. You can buy it of any druggist at fifty cents and one dollar a bottle, but better still, send your name and address to Dr. Caldwell for a free sample bottle. He will send you enough to convince you of its merits, and then if you like it you can buy it of your druggist. Mr. J. J. Petty of Un-

ionville, Mo., Mr. George W. Zimmer-

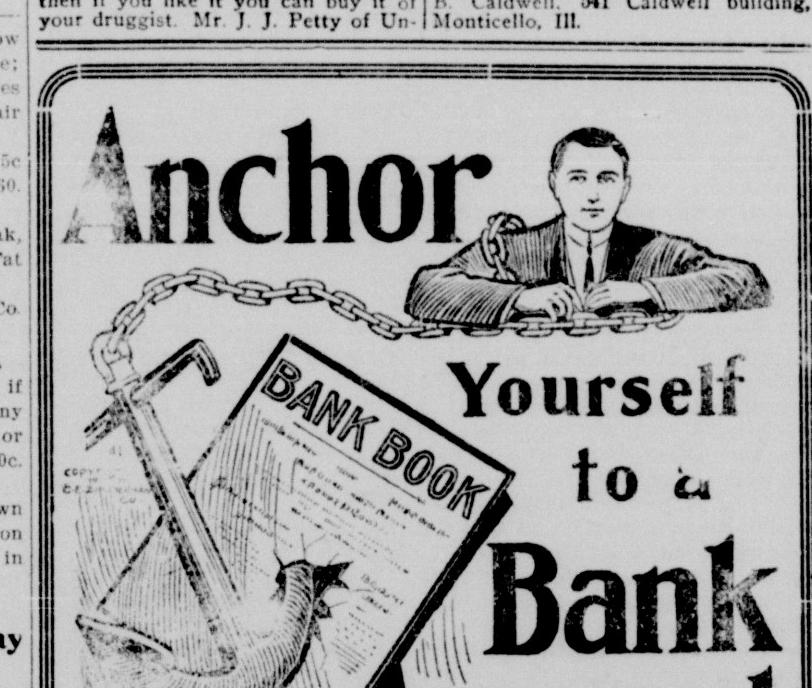
man of Harrisburg, Pa., and many others of both sexes and in all parts of

the country first used a sample bottle

and now have it regularly in the house.

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HAIR HEALTH.

Take Advantage of This Generous Offer.

Your money back upon request at our store if Rexall "93" Hair Tonic doesn't do as we claim. That's our guarantee. You obligate yourself to nothing whatever. Could you ask or could we give you stronger proof of our confidence in the hair restoring qualities of this preparation?

We could not afford to so strongly endorse Rexall "93" Hair Tonic and continue to sell it as we do, if it did not do all we claim it will. Should our enthusiasm have carried us away, and Rexall "93" Hair Tonic not give entire satisfaction to the users, they would lose faith in us and our statements, and in consequence our business prestige would suffer.

We assure you that if your hair is beginning to unnaturally fall out or if you have any scalp trouble, Rexall "93" Hair Tonic will promptly eradicate dandruff, stimulate hair growth, and prevent premature baldness, or the above guaranteed becomes operative. Two sizes, 50c. and \$1.00. Sold only at our store — The Rexall Store.

The Oscar-Henry Drug Co., 113 North Main Street.

Guest From Indiana.

J. B. Alumbaugh of Anderson, Ind., arrived in Maryville Thursday evening to visit his sister, Mrs. Mary J. Lund, on South Market street. He will also visit his brother, Peter Alumbaugh, of Barnard.

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How a Maryville Citizen Found Complete Freedom From Kidney Troubles.

If you suffer from backache—

From urinary disorders—

From any disease of the kidneys,

Be cured to stay cured.

Doan's Kidney Pills make lasting cures.

Maryville people testify.

Here's one case of it:

I. M. Woods, East Jenkins street,

Maryville, Mo., says: "For some time kidney trouble had been lurking in my system, and although it did not bother me to any extent, I could see that the attacks were becoming more frequent and severe. Finally my kidneys became so badly disordered that I was obliged to seek relief. The kidney secretions were unusual and so irregular in passage as to annoy me greatly. I also had a pain in my back and could hardly stoop. Dizzy spells and headaches were common, and I was in a miserable condition when I learned of Doan's Kidney Pills. I began their use, and after I had taken the contents of three boxes I was free from kidney trouble." —(Statement given in 1901.)

Time is the Test.

On September 19, 1908, Mr. Wood added to the above: "The cure Doan's Kidney Pills effected in my case several years ago has been permanent. I am glad to again recommend this splendid remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn & Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Miss Elsie Pittsenbarger, who is employed in Stanberry, was in Maryville Friday morning on her way to Barnard for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pittsenbarger.

BLAME YOUR STOMACH.

Get Rid of the Poisonous Gases and Fermenting Food.

If you suffer from headaches, dizziness, biliousness, constipation, inactive liver, nervousness, sleeplessness, bad dreams, foul breath, heartburn, shortness of breath, sour stomach, or despondency, be sure and try Mi-o-na stomach tablets.

You might just as well get a 50 cent box today and start to put your stomach in tip-top shape and make your body feel fine and energetic.

You take no risk, not particle, for if Mi-o-na Stomach Tablets do not do all that is claimed for them the Oscar-Henry Drug company will return your money.

Guest From Excelsior Springs.

Mrs. V. W. Keene is entertaining Mrs. J. M. Lamar of Excelsior Springs.

Grows Hair at 65 Years of Age.

Dear Sirs: "I heard of Parisian Sage, and as my head would itch a good deal, I thought I would try it. I never used any remedies before and was bald on top of my head."

I am using the third bottle and have a lot of hair where I was bald.

I would like you to see the new hair sprouting from my head. The itching in my scalp quickly disappeared. I am 65 years old and have been at the Bazaar 51 years.

Wm. A. Hopper, auctioneer Harkness Bazaar, Ninth and Samson Sts., Philadelphia, Pa.

Large bottle of Parisian Sage 50 cents. Guaranteed by the Koch pharmacy for dandruff, falling hair and scalp itch. Puts life and beauty into faded hair and is a delightful hair dressing.

PACKERS TRY FOR DELAY

Judge Kohlsaat However, Gives Government First Blood in Fight.

FILED MOTION TO QUASH WRIT

Indicted Men Were Not Arrested, Therefore Could Not Be Released on Habeas Corpus, Claim of Prosecution.

Chicago, Nov. 17.—Judge Kohlsaat gave the government first blood in the packers' hearing on the writ of habeas corpus, when he permitted Attorney James Sheehan to file a motion to quash the writ with affidavits in support of the motion, and adjourned court one hour to permit the preparation of counter affidavits by the packers.

Attorney Sheehan for the government brought a distinguished audience of legal and judicial talent to its feet when moved to quash the writ.

"Your honor," said Mr. Sheehan, "we have interposed a motion to quash. It is the contention of the government that these defendants surrendered voluntarily to the United States marshal, and that they have never at any time been under detention or in custody. This being true, the government contends that the writ of habeas corpus could not properly issue and the court is without jurisdiction."

Representatives were made in an unofficial manner to the State Department several days ago by some of the foreign ministers in China, through the American legation, that it was incumbent on the United States to furnish troops as part of an international police force to keep open the railroads from Pekin to the sea and also to protect foreigners in the event of anarchy.

State department dispatches show that the financial situation in China fast is becoming critical; that there are less than 4 million taels in the treasury (probably equivalent to about 3 million dollars) including gifts from court funds. Fear is expressed that if the loyal troops are not paid they will revolt or disband.

Attorney Levy Mayor for the packers at once interposed with the announcement that he stood ready to argue the legality of the writ.

"We are filing a motion to quash," said Mr. Sheehan, "and in that connection we propose to file affidavits in support of the motion."

The court: "There is nothing to prevent your filing affidavits."

Louis P. Swift, Edward F. Swift, Edward Tilden, Arthur Meeker, Edward Morris and Francis A. Fowler sat close together inside the rail. The other men indicted, with the exception of J. Ogden Armour, who is abroad, sat close by.

The court room was crowded to the doors by men distinguished in the law.

When Judge Kohlsaat ascended the bench a great crowd of well known commercial and financial figures thronged the corridors and blocked the doors.

When court resumed after a recess of an hour, the packers again sought delay.

The direct assertion that the writ of habeas corpus in the packers' case was "improperly" issued by Judge Kohlsaat and that he has no right to review the decisions of the supreme court in the Standard Oil company and the tobacco trust, was made in behalf of the government.

After nearly three hours of preliminary argument Attorney Sheehan began the argument on the government's plea that Judge Kohlsaat had no jurisdiction to issue the writ which has blocked the prosecution of the packers.

Friendly Blow Not Murder.

Savannah, Mo., Nov. 17.—A jury in the circuit court brought in a verdict acquitting Lewis Crawford of the murder of Robert C. Scott, July 29. The two men were friends and in a friendly wrestling bout on the street here, Crawford killed Scott with a blow of his fist.

An Old Kansas Editor Dead.

Ioia, Kan., Nov. 17.—W. T. McElroy 76, postmaster at Humboldt and editor of the Humboldt Union, died at his home. He had just returned from Wichita. Attempting to board a cab he fell and was picked up unconscious.

Mt. Ayr.

Quite a number in this community are on the sick list at present.

J. R. Jones and family have the sympathy of the entire community over the sudden death of their little child, which died last Thursday.

Rev. Royston of the Barnard charge is conducting a series of meetings at Arkoe at present.

Grandma Riley is reported to be very sick at present.

Master Earl Schoonover has been absent from school for a few days on account of a bad case of tonsilitis.

The estimating community of the Barnard charge met last Tuesday at Arkoe and placed the salary of their pastor, Rev. Royston, at eight hundred and fifty dollars and parsonage.

Ben Heitman has about completed the erection of a fine large new barn.

We hear of some corn selling as high as 60 cents per bushel.

F. Schweikhardt and J. A. Carmichael were business visitors in Arkoe Tuesday.

William Mozingo is attending court these days.

Seed corn is going to be a scarce article next spring, as it is hard to find many perfect ears.

"The Rose Maiden," only 25c and 35c, at the Christian church Friday night.

SOLDIERS READY TO MOVE

PHILIPPINE TROOPS PREPARE FOR DUTY IN CHINA.

Not to Leave Except on President's Order—Needed as Part of International Police.

Washington, Nov. 17.—Not a soldier will leave the Philippines for China except on orders from President Taft. Such orders have not yet been given, and it is said that before acting the president is awaiting the arrival in Washington of Secretary Stimson and Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, chief of staff, who are returning from the West.

In anticipation of the issuance of the order the War Department has made every preparation for a speedy movement of the regiment from Manila to Wing Tao on the railroad running from Pekin by way of Ties Tsin to Mukden. The organization which will be sent has not yet been selected. It is presumed the choice will fall on one of the infantry regiments, of which there are now three at Manila or close by. Any one of these could be landed in Ching Wing Tao in about six or seven days.

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Lincoln, Kan., Nov. 17.—With state and defense in readiness for a protracted legal struggle and with Lincoln county on tip toe, awaiting the first clash in the prosecution of some of its representative men, the bottom suddenly dropped out of the most important of the much-discussed "tar party" trials.

Everett G. Clark, miller, promoter and capitalist, alleged to have been the leader in the attack on Miss Mary Chamberlain August 7, last, abruptly abandoned his elaborate preparations for defense when court convened, and entered a plea of guilty to the charge of assault and battery.

Similar pleas were made by Jay Fitzwater and Watson Scranton, associated with Clark in the prosecution in the district court.

Clark's capitulation came after his failure to obtain a continuance and before his application for a change of venue, had been argued in court. Attorneys for the state appeared for the hearing, armed with 180 affidavits made by the residents in all parts of the county, asserting that there was not sufficient prejudice against Clark and his associates to make a fair trial impossible.

A remarkable feature of the hearing was that while the court room was packed by a curious crowd, not a woman or a minor was present. Even Miss Chamberlain, the chief witness for the prosecution, did not appear at the forenoon session. The activity of the Women's Civic League of Lincoln county is responsible for the exclusion of minors from the trial and for women shunning the court room.

GRANDMOTHERS USED SAGE TEA

To Darken the Hair and Restore Gray and Faded Hair to Its Natural Color.

It is easier to preserve the color of the hair than to restore it, although it is possible to do both. Our grandmothers understood the secret. They made a "sage tea," and their dark, glossy hair long after middle life was due to this fact. Our mothers have gray hairs before they are 50, but they are beginning to appreciate the wisdom of our grandmothers in using "sage tea" for their hair and are fast following suit.

The present generation has the advantage of the past in that it can get a ready-to-use preparation called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy. As a scalp tonic and color restorer this preparation is vastly superior to the ordinary "sage tea" made by our grandmothers.

This remedy is sold under guarantee that the money will be refunded if it fails to do exactly as represented.

If your hair is losing color or coming out, start using Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur today, and see what a change it will make in a few days' time.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists. Special agents, Koch Pharmacy.

Thanksgiving Day Soon Here

Leave your orders for Turkeys, Geese, Ducks or Chickens Fresh Oysters, Celery, Cranberries Then Order

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We have a fresh supply of sour, sweet and dill pickles, lettuce, grapes, grape fruit, celery, oranges, bananas, nuts, buckwheat and maple syrup.

Yours for business,

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PROBATE COURT OF NODAWAY COUNTY, MISSOURI

Monday, December 4th.

1. Aiken, John H.; William L. Aiken, administrator.

2. Adwell, William H.; John F. Adwell, administrator.

3. Axell, Sophia; Joseph Jackson, executor.

4. Bradley, Lucius; S. H. Kemp, executor.

5. Broyles, Wilson; Samuel M. Chaney, administrator.

6. Butner, Nancy; Thomas H. Williams, administrator.

7. Bowers, E. E.; John F. Roelofson, public administrator.

8. Brown, Joseph; J. R. Johnson, curator.

9. Baker, Helen; D. R. Baker, curator.

10. Bloom, Peter and John; Daniel Stundon, guardian.

11. Breen, John J.; John Z. Currott, public guardian.

12. Barclay, Elizabeth; W. A. Blagg, guardian.

13. Billings, Benjamin F. J.; George W. Thompson, curator.

14. Carden, John W.; Joseph S. Carden, administrator.

15. Conway, Richard; Julia A. Conway, executrix.

16. Cliser, David M.; Thomas E. Cliser, executor.

17. Cozad, James F.; A. C. Hopkins, public guardian.

18. Clayton, Daniel H.; D. S. Clayton, executor.

19. Davis, Thomas J.; H. Glover Davis, administrator.

20. Deidrick, Lottie, et al.; J. A. Bille, curator.

Wednesday, December 6th.



Dear Amy:-

Everyone should go to bed happy and get up happy. Then they'll work better and earn more. I feel truly sorry for people who are able, but either too stingy or too careless to buy beautiful beds and bedroom furniture.

John goes to his bed humming a tune and gets up whistling. I have such a nice room for him. That's why he is such a success in business.

With love,

Lou

P.S.-Never forget, Amy, when you have furniture to buy, remember, you can get the stylish, strong kind and for lowest prices from

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WABASH RAILWAY

Best line for points west, east and southeast.

Missouri and Kansas Foot Ball Team Play at Columbia, Mo. Nov. 25.

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LACK OF ACTION IS CRITICISED

Speakers Grill Commercial Congress for Not Getting Busy.

RIVER IMPROVEMENT IMPORTANT

Judge Cowan of Texas, Thinks Vital Subjects Affecting the West Should be Given More Attention.

Kansas City, Nov. 17.—Five speakers addressed the Trans-Mississippi congress during the afternoon at the Shubert theater. The session opened at 2 o'clock and continued until 5:30 o'clock. No business was transacted. Discussion and action on the various subjects presented in addresses to the congress has been prevented by the multiplicity of speakers. The work of passing on the various topics discussed by the speakers has been left to the committee on resolutions, which has been so busy that its members have been unable to hear the greater part of the speeches made.

A small audience heard speakers on "The Improvement of Inland Waterways for Navigation," "Life Insurance and Justice," "National Industrial Conditions" and the "Live Stock Industry." The delegates to the congress have been surfeited with speeches and are impatient for some action to be taken on the various matters brought to the consideration of the congress.

Two of the speakers, Congressman Charles F. Booher of Savannah, Mo., and Judge Samuel H. Cowan of Fort Worth, Tex., had the hardihood to criticise the congress for taking up too many subjects and not taking action on any of them. The Savannah congressman thought that river improvement was the most important matter before the congress and urged that definite action be taken by the delegates. Inasmuch as the twenty-second session of the congress was called to consider Missouri river improvement, the delegates present agreed with the congressman and expressed their sentiment in hearty applause of the suggestion.

"We should not try to consider the Encyclopedia Britannica, but confine ourselves to a few vital points that entirely affect the West," Judge Cowan declared. Again the sparsely filled theater applauded the sentiment.

"We are not here to run the gamut of the world's problems," Judge Cowan continued, "but to take definite action on questions that we in the West are vitally interested in. We should get down to business on these points and go on record, unanimously if possible, in such a way that the rest of the country would know that there is a Trans-Mississippi congress and have a genuine respect for its action."

Other speakers were: John Burke, governor of North Dakota and president of the Upper Missouri River Improvement association; Darwin P. Kingsley, president of the New York Life Insurance company, and John H. Kirby of Houston, Tex.

BARN BURNERS AT LEE'S SUMMIT

Three Stables Destroyed. Together With Horses and Mules—Loss Over \$8,000.

Lee's Summit, Mo., Nov. 17.—Fire broke out in the horse and mule barns on the corner of Second and West Main streets at 12:10 a. m., destroying the building. The barns were brick with composition roof and were owned by Miss Dorothy Cooper of Kansas City. The fire spread to three private barns across the alley, burning them to the ground. One of the barns was owned by Colonel Younger, one by A. J. Sigmund and the third by Richard Williams. The volunteer fire department, with two streams of water, prevented the loss of the three dwellings near the barns. Seven head of mules and one horse were burned to death in the barn owned by Miss Cooper. The live stock was owned by W. H. Maxwell of Lee's Summit. Miss Cooper's barn was valued at \$8,000, with \$4,000 insurance. The three private barns were partly insured. The fire was of incendiary origin, it is believed.

Convict Finds Friends.

Iola, Kan., Nov. 17.—Sentiment in Iola, which has been against John Healy because he has been in prison before and was drunk when arrested, is beginning to swing to the man who is in the Kansas penitentiary for crime another man committed. It is being admitted that as a matter of justice Healy should be released, no matter what his past record may have been. The case is the topic of the town and the majority of the expressions are all to the effect that Healy should be released without further delay.

A Train Kills a Farmer.

Springfield, Mo., Nov. 17.—David Everly, a retired farmer of Ash Grove, Mo., was run down by a freight train while crossing a bridge over the Sac river. He was 79 years old and a veteran of the civil war.

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Second Circle
The Lustful

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The Gluttons

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Evil Spenders
Spendthrifts and Misers

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THE DEEPER HELL
Sixth Circle
The Propagators of False Doctrine

Seventh Circle
THE VIOLENT
Against Themselves
Against Their Neighbors
Against God

Eighth Circle
(MALEBOGLE)
Consisting of Ten Pits
THE FRAUDULENT
Seducers and Procurers
Flatterers
Simonists
False Prophets
Faithless Custodians of Money
Hypocrites
Robbers
False Counsellors
Sowers of Discord
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THE TRAITORS
Consisting of Four Pits
Traitors to Kindred
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Writing class, Business college to night.

FGR RENT—Dwelling with all conveniences, only \$15.00. R. L. McDougal

FOR SALE—Large fireproof safe, cheap. Charles Hyslop. 10-ft

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Rooms or Rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

Will have plenty of Poland-China male hogs for sale for the next two weeks. M. A. Nicholas & Sons. 8-21

FOR SALE—Sixty acres or less with good improvements, 1 mile southwest of Maryville limits. J. J. Barr. 6-ft

FOR SALE—S. C. Brown Leghorn cockerels, last spring hatch, from 75c up. William Barry, Quitman. Phone, Farmers, Maryville, 14-22. 1-1

FOR SALE—S. C. Rhode Island Red cockerels, dandies. \$1.00 each. Mrs. J. A. Clark, Farmers phone 24-15. 17-17

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars of spring farrow. Come and see them. A. B. Dowden, Maryville, Mo. R. F. D. 3. Farmers phone 1-13. 14-1f

FOR SALE—White Wyandotte cockerels, prize winning strain, pure bred, \$1 if taken soon. Eggs in season. Mrs. Daisy Small, Pickering, Mo. Farmers phone 3-29. 4-3

FOR SALE—Five acres, good house 2 good wells, barn, some fruit and berries. Inside city limits, near Halasay and Depot streets. Will sell cheap if taken soon. See Mrs. Mary M. Weisenberger. 11-25

CLOVER HAY FOR SALE—About fifty tons; can be fed to cattle on the premises if desired, or will sell, all or part by the stack. The meadow, 160 acres, is seven miles north of Maryville. Enquire of J. S. Pfeiffer, resides half mile southeast of land.

This 160 acres is for rent for next season pasture. Well fenced, good water. The Sisson Loan and Title Co., Maryville, Mo. tf

Cook with gas. See demonstration at J. H. Carsten's, 121 West Third street. Something new. Agents wanted. L. M. Dawson. 16-18

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

B. R. Martin's Law Office.
I have opened a law office in the J. B. Robinson building, first stairway, north of the Nodaway Valley bank where I can be found Saturday each week. Will come any time by appointment. **B. R. MARTIN,** Maryville, Mo.

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NOVEMBER 17, 1911.

25—Good for 25 Votes--25

Cut out this coupon and present at our store and we will give you credit for 25 votes.

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ALREADY FEELS AX

MR. GOBBLER AND FAMILY HAVE PREMONITION OF SLAUGHTER.

PREPARING FOR WORST

He Will Sell For 20 Cents Per Pound For Thanksgiving—Turkeys Are Plentiful.

Mr. Turkey Gobbler, well known in these parts for his splendid meat, is now preparing his last will and testament, and his mate and all her children are getting ready for the worst—for the day of Thanksgiving for humanity and of sorrow and grief for the larger members of the feathered tribe is fast approaching. Farmers have been heard to say that all of the fowls of the farmyard seem to have a premonition of the destiny that awaits them, as about this time of the year there is great commotion among them, and even the tamest of the flock are hard to catch from the first of November to the first of January, says the Creston Advertiser-Gazette.

Turkeys are plentiful in this part of the country this year, and it is thought that the price at Thanksgiving and Christmas time will be nearer the size of the purse of the laboring man than for a good many years past. The dry weather of the spring and summer was favorable for turkey raising, and the few farmers that give attention to it say they saved more of the young turkeys last summer than ever before. The farmer is now getting 12½ cents per pound for live turkeys, and unless there is an increase between now and Thanksgiving they will cost the consumer 20 cents per pound dressed, or 2½ cents per pound cheaper than a year ago. Geese are now selling for 12½ cents per pound dressed, ducks for about 20 cents per pound dressed, and chickens for 15 cents dressed.

The pumpkin, the chief requisite of the Thanksgiving pastry, is not to be found in abundance this year, as it usually is. The dry season was hard on the plant that produces the big yellow fruit, and as a consequence where the farmer planted many seeds last spring with the expectation of having pumpkins by the wagon load this fall, they were only scattered when it came time to gather them and the largest are not much larger than the smallest in other years. The celery now on the market here is grown in California. It did not do much good around here the past season, and all that was raised is already used. Cranberries are also scarce and are bringing a higher price this winter than for a good many years. Oysters are of the finest quality this year.

The members of every household look forward to a bounteous Thanksgiving dinner. The majority probably prefer turkey in the meat line, although there are some that say they would rather have chicken, while still others prefer goose or duck. At any rate it will be possible for every economical housewife, whether she decides to have turkey, chicken, duck or goose, to spread the table with the many luxuries of the season at a comparatively nominal price.

Mrs. Sarah Bergen of Burlington Junction was in Maryville, returning home Thursday evening from a month's visit with Mrs. D. Houston and Mrs. John Shinabarger of Hopkins.

REGARDS FOSS AS A "HOPE."

But Underwood is a Standpatter, Bryan's Commoner Says.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 17.—Praise of Governor Foss of Massachusetts as a presidential possibility and criticism of Harmon and Underwood feature the first page of Bryan's editorial comment in today's issue of the Commoner. Of Foss, Bryan says:

The re-election of Governor Foss in Massachusetts on a radical platform advances his stock in the presidential market. He was elected a year ago and is now re-elected on a platform that leaves no doubt as to his positive and aggressive stand for remedial legislation. If you are a progressive Democrat, read the Massachusetts platform and the election returns and then ask yourself, "What's the matter with Foss?"

The Commoner is not attempting to express an opinion as to the relative availability of the various progressives who are being discussed, but it takes pleasure in calling attention to the fact that Governor Foss is not only one of the men to be considered, but to the further fact that his claims upon the party have been materially strengthened by the endorsement just given him by the voters of Massachusetts.

Mr. Bryan's judgment is that the Harmon strength is showing signs of shifting to Representative Underwood of Alabama, concerning whom Bryan says:

His nomination would, however, be unfortunate for the south, for his defeat would be wrongfully charged to his location instead of being charged, as it should be, to the fact that he is not in harmony with the progressive spirit of the day.

If the south wants the candidate, and there is no reason why that section should not have him, it should select some one who will appeal to the progressive element in all parties. It is hard enough for a Republican to be a standpatter now. A Democratic standpatter is more lonesome still.

If any Democrat has expected to carry the cast with a plutocratic Democrat, he might as well give up the idea. There is no possible chance of the Democrats getting the Wall street support. If they win they must win with the aid of the progressive Republicans, and they cannot hope for that unless their candidate is a man about whose progressiveness there is no doubt.

Let the Democrats gird themselves for the fight and from now on demand a platform and ticket in harmony with the progressive sentiment of the country.

DANTE'S "INFERNO."

To Be Given in Motion Pictures at Empire Next Monday and Tuesday.

Never before has an attempt been made to present to the public work of the merit and magnitude possessed by Dante's "Inferno" until a band of renowned Italian artists determined to make this work accessible to the masses by arranging a representation of it in moving pictures. This gigantic task occupied more than two years, and engaged the arduous and unremitting efforts of these artists. The result of their labors has been extraordinary. They have produced what must be regarded as the crowning achievement in moving pictures. The work, consisting of five reels and constituting a full evening's entertainment, will be presented with a suitable lecture and special music with effects at the Empire theater on Monday and Tuesday evenings, Nov. 20 and 21.

THE WILL WAS SUSTAINED.

In Meadows vs. Meadows Case at Savannah Defendant Won.

A will contest case of Meadows vs. Meadows was tried at Savannah Thursday in the Andrew county circuit court before Judge Burns, and after the case was started it was taken away from the jury by the court and the will sustained. The case was sent to Andrew county from Holt county on a change of venue. The parties in the suit lived near Maitland.

Shinabarger, Blagg & Ellison of this city were the attorneys for the defendant.

ALL ROADS LEAD TO TARKIO FIVE FAST

MARYVILLE MAY WELL ADOPT THE OLD ROMAN SLOGAN.

ANOTHER ONE PROPOSED THEIR TEAM WORK GOOD

The Omaha-Kansas City Short Line is the Latest One Under Consideration.

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TO GIVE A BANQUET.

The Owls Arranging for One for Monday Night, Being Its Anniversary Day.

The Owls are arranging to give a banquet Monday evening at the armory hall, over the Tribune, as that day is the anniversary day of the order. The committee in charge of the affair is composed of Clyde Avitt, chairman; William Hansen, Roy Yeaman, Roy Martin, John Wallace and M. Nusbaum.

After-dinner speeches are to be given and George B. Baker will preside as toastmaster at the banquet. All kinds of game, such as possum, roast pig, ducks, chickens and rabbits will be served.

All members of the local lodge are requested to meet at the lodge room promptly at 8 o'clock Monday evening, and march in a body to the banquet.

SET FOR JANUARY 2.

Rasco Case to Be Taken Up Then By the Supreme Court of Missouri.

Attorney E. G. Cook, one of the attorneys for Hez Rasco, received word Thursday that the Rasco case was docketed on the supreme court docket for hearing January 2, 1912. At this time the court will simply hear the case, and a decision will not be given until March or April.

Attorney Cook visited Rasco in the Buchanan county jail at St. Joseph this week and he says that Hez is feeling fine and is in the best of spirits.

Destroyed Household Goods.

Fire caught the interior of the residence occupied by Everett Herdeman and his wife, on North Mulberry street, Friday forenoon, and damaged the contents to such an extent that they are total loss. The wall paper was burned and the woodwork was scorched. Mrs. Herdeman does not know how the fire started. She lit the gasoline stove to cook dinner and went out of doors to get a bucket of water, and when she returned the whole interior of the house was on fire. The work of the fire department saved the house from burning. Mr. Herdeman is employed as a tinner by the Campbell-Clark Hardware firm.

Pickering People Here.

James Saddler and his daughter Mrs. Fannie Vore; Charles Shopbell and his daughter, Miss Chloe Shopbell; Walter Johnson and John Young, all of Pickering, were in Maryville Friday attending court as witnesses in the John Young vs. Belle McArthur divorce suit. Mr. Shopbell was carrying his right arm in a sling, having sustained a break of that member a week ago when a horse he was harnessing backed against him.

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NORMALS HAD THEIR HANDS FULL TO DEFEAT THEM.

Visitors Defeated by Score of 30 to 28—Seymour of Normals Made Half the Points.

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Contrary to all expectations, Coach Moore's State Normal basketball five had to play every bit of basketball they knew to defeat the fast Tarkio high school quintet Thursday night.

Thursday's contest was the first game for the Normals, and their lack of team work was very evident. The Tarkio five are playing their second year with the same men, and their excellent team work Thursday night showed this fact.

The Normals took an early lead, but the Tarkio men strengthened as the half drew to a close, and the first half ended with the score a tie, 17 and 17.

To begin the second half, Coach Moore sent Perrin to center and Mitchell was shifted to Perrin's forward. The second period was a battle royal, and the score was one moment in favor of the visitors and the next minute the Normals were in the lead.

But when timekeeper Bent's whistle blew the score was 30 to 28 in favor of the Normals. For the visitors Dilly Thomas, the clever left forward was the shining star, while H. Seymour was the principal point getter of the Normal five. The big forward scored 15 of the Normals' 30 points. McClintock played a grand defensive game. His forward got but one goal.

The second half of the game was marred as the result of a dispute with Mr. Gowdy, the referee. He referred a very good game, but was slightly rusty on the rules. Gowdy was a member of the Tarkio college team that trounced the Normals so soundly three years ago.

The Tarkio team left on the Burlington train Friday for Clearfield, Ia., where they play tonight. On Saturday high school five at Bedford. The line-ups:

Tarkio—Ewing, right forward;

Thomas, left forward; McPherson, center; Peterson, right guard; Hill, left guard.

Normal—H. Seymour, right forward;

Perrin, left forward; Mitchell, center; McClintock, right guard; McGrew, left guard.

Summary—Field goals, Thomas 6,

McPherson 2, Perrin 3, Seymour 6,

Mitchell 2. Free throws, Thomas 8,

Ewing 2, Perrin 5, Seymour 3.

Two points awarded Tarkio.

Referee, Gowdy, Tarkio.

Umpire, Quinn, Maryville high school.

GUESTS FROM WASHINGTON, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. William Foyd and son and daughter, Lawrence and Margaret, of Washington, D. C., arrived in Maryville Friday noon for a two days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crosson.

The visitors are in the county for a visit until Thanksgiving time with Mrs. Foyd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jensen, ofnear Red-

son.

Visitors From Virginia.

Mrs. Etta Dempsey and Mr. and Mrs. William Brane and their daughter, Miss Virginia, of Fredericksburg, Va., arrived in Maryville Thursday on a visit to the families of H. P. Childress and James Brane of Prather avenue.

Mrs. Dempsey and Mrs. Brane are sisters of Mr. Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Brane are the parents of James Brane.

Has Another Granddaughter.

J. H. Aley of this city has received announcement of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Peery of Brimson, Mo., on Monday, November 13. Mrs. Peery is Mr. Aley's eldest daughter. The Peery family now has two daughters.

Returned From Visit.

Mr. and Mrs. William Funk returned Friday forenoon from a week's visit at Graham with Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Hamm. They visited over Thursday night in Clearmont as guests of Rev and Mrs. Wiley at Clearmont.

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HOTCHKIN'S VARIETY STORE

106 South Main St.

Maryville, Mo.

We have a large fine large as-

sortment which we bought direct

from the manufacturer. We bought

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sell them the same way.

Guilford People in Town.

Mrs. Mary Richards, Miss Beulah

Richards, Claude Richards, Ollie

Bright, W. D. Torrance, Constable J.

L. Porter, Huston Wilson, Roy

George and Raymond Wilson and John

Aldridge, all of Guilford, were attend-

ing to court business Friday.

F. RALPH MARCELL

The Photographer

South Main Street.

Get pictures of the children

NOW. We make the kind that

are more than mere photographs.

They are studies of child life that

will endure for years to come.

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**Largest Circulation in
Nodaway County**

In the case of the International Harvester company the supreme court is about to unscramble another bad egg.

St. Joseph has a policeman who must have been a night watch at a poultry plant. He was detailed the other day to arrest a fleeing burglar described as having "a cap on." He went out and soon returned with a local citizen whom he found carrying a rooster.

This promises to be a good winter for the coal men and the clothing merchant. We haven't consulted the goosebone nor the corn husks, but the law of averages indicates a cold winter. The ultimate temperature of the years will strike a common average and the long hot summer must be compensated either by a severe winter or a cool summer in 1912.

Dudley A. Reid, formerly editor of the Nodaway Forum of this city, announces that he has traded an interest in his Bethany Democrat to W. Claud Brown for the Gilman City Guide. He also announces that he will take a vacation from newspaper work and accept an appointment at Washington during the coming session of congress. Dudley has secured a live, bustling partner and an excellent printer in Mr. Brown, and his many friends in this county will rejoice in his good fortune in securing a berth at Washington during the coming session of congress, which will be the most interesting and important session within the past twenty years.

FRUITS OF BAD HABITS AND BAD COMPANY.

A freak of the law has just been developed in the case of a man in Kansas. Two years ago he was arrested while drunk in the company of another party on the charge of stealing a grip valued at \$7 from a train. He was a stranger and he was sentenced to the penitentiary for a term of seven years. After he had served a year and a half of the term it was proved that his companion had stolen the grip and, upon the recommendation of the prosecuting attorney and trial judge, the governor paroled the convict. Why he was not pardoned has not been explained.

After gaining his liberty the fellow went to work and when he got out of work in Kansas he left the state. He thus violated his parole and he was brought back and again put in prison. He was a stranger in Kansas when first arrested, and his past record has not been without blemish, so it is very likely that he will have to serve the remainder of the seven years for a crime which it is admitted he did not commit. He has but one hope of liberty. If the newspapers make enough noise public sentiment may be aroused to the point of urging fair play and may get the case before the proper officials.

Such a condition not only illustrates a ridiculous freak of the law, but it also should serve as a warning to young men that the penalty of bad habits and bad company is frequently severe. Character stains so made are hard to wash out, and they are hard to run away from. This unfortunate man owes his dilemma to the fact that he was drunk and in the company of a self-confessed thief. The law in theory presumes every man innocent until he is proved guilty, but public sentiment generally rules the suspected man guilty until he proves himself innocent.

**NEWS OF SOCIETY
AND WOMEN'S CLUBS**

(Continued from page 1.)
Need an Equipped Playground?" was instructive. The round table discussion was well conducted, and the aims and practical methods of co-operating and purposes of the Mothers' Circle between home and school was talked of from both the teachers' and parents' standpoint. Miss Nelle Wray and Miss Lillian Lindholm gave several vocal numbers that added much to the program. A visit to the emergency room was enjoyed, and the Circle has every reason to feel proud of their success in getting the room so well equipped as it is. The board of education had the walls tinted and the floors stained and polished and the Circle did the rest. There are three beautiful rugs on the floor and the furniture is the mission style, finished in leather, and consists of a lounge, two easy chairs and one straight chair. The cabinet is furnished with everything that would be needed in an ordinary case of sickness or accident. The table is a fine piece of workmanship and was made and presented by the high school manual training school. Some more pillows would add to the comfort of the room, as there is but one pillow.

O. D. O. Bridge Club.

At the meeting of the O. D. O. Bridge club Thursday afternoon, which met with Miss Della Grems, the highest score was made by Mrs. Charles Jackson.

The players were Mrs. Frank Shoemaker, Miss Esther Shoemaker, Miss Susie Ellison, Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend, Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Mrs. Berney Harris, Mrs. George Lorance, Miss Rena Sturm and Miss Clara Sturm.

Mrs. D. J. Thomas entertained the club a week ago, Miss Susie Ellison winning the highest score for the day. The winners of the prizes for the second series of games, which closed that day, were Mrs. N. C. Covey first, Miss Esther Shoemaker second, and Mrs. C. C. Hellmers third. The first prize was a silver sandwich plate, the second a handsome bridge score pad, and the third a sterling silver hat brush.

The winners of the first series of games stood as follows: Miss Esther Shoemaker first, Miss Della Grems second and Mrs. D. J. Thomas third.

I X L Embroidery Club.

The I X L Embroidery club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. G. A. Pickens, all of the members being present except Mrs. Clinton Davis, who was absent from the city. There were two visitors present, Mrs. Linn of Chicago, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Bantz, and Mrs. M. A. Petty.

The next meeting of the club will be December 6th at the home of Mrs. Walter Mutz. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Pickens. She was assisted in serving by Mrs. Wilbur Smith.

Newspaper Law.

The preparation and publication of a newspaper involves much mental and physical labor as well as an outlay of money. One who accepts the paper by continuously taking it from the postoffice receives benefit and pleasure arising from such labor and expenditure as fully as if he had appropriated any other products or another's labor, and by such act he must be held liable for the subscription price—Missouri Court of Appeals.

Miss Leila Bonewitz and Mrs. E. B. Sheldon attended the funeral services of the late Mrs. J. Flemming Robb at Hopkins Friday afternoon. Mrs. Robb was an intimate friend of Miss Bonewitz.

RAILWAY OFFICIALS INDICTED

Federal Grand Jury Returns Bills Against Several New York and Chicago Firms.

New York, Nov. 17.—Thirteen indictments were returned by the federal grand jury, which has been investigating charges of rebates against several railway freight officials and members of firms here and in Chicago. The inquiry has been conducted with unusual secrecy.

All of the indictments are similar except as to the details of the particular transaction and contain in all 45 counts. The alleged rebating was on shipments of merchandise between this city and Chicago.

To Mark the Old Trails.

Columbia, Mo., Nov. 17.—The executive committee of the Old Trails Road association will meet in Kansas City in December to plan permanent marking of the cross-state highway and to consider the formation of a national Old Trails Road association.

Lost a Leg for Missouri.

Springfield, Mo., Nov. 17.—After losing his leg in a quarrel with a North Dakota man who insisted that his state was equal to Missouri, Z. W. Hoppe of Willow Springs is suing his antagonist, Edward Janke, in the circuit court for \$8,000 damages.

25c

Grab Sale

25c

Last week we started our Grab Sale with 1120 packages. Owing to the inclemency of the weather there were about 275 left. We will offer them Saturday. Last week John McGeehee got the lady's watch and F. H. Dowden the gentleman's watch.

In order to get the sale over in a hurry we will put a package in with the others containing a small diamond ring. There will also be one package containing 25,000 votes, one 20,000, one 15,000, one 10,000 and ten 5,000. No package will have less than 200 votes and we guarantee that no article in any of the packages retailed for less than 35c.

**Come Early if You Expect to Get a Grab.
Sale Starts Promptly at Nine o'Clock.**

Raines Brothers, Jewelers and Opticians

109 West Third St.

CITY BASKET BALL LEAGUE.

If a Team Can Be Found to Take Place of Business College.

Representatives of the Normal, high school and Company F met at the Normal Thursday night for the purpose of organizing a four-team basketball league. But as the Business college refused to enter a team in the tournament, the plan was abandoned. If the committee can find a team to take the place of the Business college team a city league will no doubt be organized about the first of the year.

"The Rose Maiden."

A large audience will hear "The Rose Maiden" at the First Christian church Friday night, as the tickets are selling readily. This will be the greatest production of the kind ever heard in Maryville, and that fact is recognized by Maryville lovers of music. Mr. Becker and his chorus have been working hard a long time on this oratorio, and it is to their credit that such good music is being presented to us. The soloists are well known and popular, and the entire chorus is in perfect training for exciting this beautiful story in song.

Sixty voices in "The Rose Maiden" at the Christian church Friday night.

Visiting Their Doctor Brothers.

Edward Ahrens and his sister, Miss Hannah Ahrens, of Atlantic, Ia., were in Maryville Friday morning on their way to Bedford, Ia., to visit their brother, Dr. Harvey Ahrens. They had been visiting another brother, Dr. Lewis Ahrens, at Brandywine, Ia.

Returned to Maryville.

W. J. Montgomery arrived in Maryville Friday morning for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery. He has been traveling in Oklahoma and Arkansas, with headquarters at Ft. Smith, Ark.

The oratorio "The Rose Maiden" at the Christian church Friday night.

Attended Funeral of Friend.

Mrs. G. Maier of this city and her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Bush of Clearmont, went to Hopkins Friday to attend the funeral services of their late friend, Mrs. J. Flemming Robb.

Mrs. J. M. Gibson of Chillicothe, Mo., was in Maryville Friday forenoon on her way home from a visit at her former home in Iowa City, Ia., and with relatives at Winterset and Creston, Ia.

Have you tried the steam cooked hominy made at the South Side Meat Market?

King & Hartness.

Seats reserved at the Bee Hive for "The Rose Maiden."

Todays Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—2,500. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 200.

Hogs—24,000. Market strong; top, \$6.67. Estimate tomorrow, 12,000.

Sheep—12,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—1,000. Market steady.

Hogs—10,000. Market strong; top, \$6.60.

Sheep—None.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—800. Market steady.

Hogs—6,500. Market strong; top, \$6.60.

Sheep—None.

NATIONAL STOCK MARKET.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Nov. 16.

Cattle receipts, 3,500. Market slow and steady. No prime steers here; best at \$7.75. Look for steady prices to continue this week. Outlook fair for next week.

Hog receipts, 14,500. Strong to 5¢ higher. Top, \$6.65; bulk, \$6.25@6.60.

The National topped the hog trade.

Sheep receipts, 3,000. Slow, weak, steady market. Top lambs, \$5.75. Fat ewes at \$3.25@3.35.

National Live Stock Commission Co.

FILES CURED IN 6 TO 11 DAYS.

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

National Live Stock Commission Co.

Mrs. Mary Paxton of Guilford was a business visitor in Maryville Friday.

Mrs. Charles McNeal went to St. Joseph Friday morning to spend the day.

FREE SAMPLE OF LAXATIVE CURED HIS CONSTIPATION

When a person has become discouraged through years of failure to find a cure, and finally, perhaps, gives up trying, it is small wonder that he becomes skeptical. And yet, to all who have constipation, we would say, "Try just one thing more."

We wish you would try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepin, a laxative tonic that has been used for a generation. Thousands are using it; surely some of your friends among the number. You can buy it of any druggist at fifty cents and one dollar a bottle, but better still, send your name and address to Dr. Caldwell for a free sample bottle. He will send you enough to convince you of its merits, and then if you like it you can buy it of your druggist. Mr. J. J. Petty of Un-

ionville, Mo., Mr. George W. Zimmerman of Harrisburg, Pa., and many others of both sexes and in all parts of the country first used a sample bottle and now have it regularly in the house.

You will learn to do away with salts, waters and cathartics for these are but temporary reliefs while Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepin is guaranteed to cure permanently. It will train your stomach and bowel muscles so that they will do their work again naturally without outside aid. Cast aside your skepticism and try Syrup Pepin.

For the free sample address Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 341 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.



A STEADY purpose in this life is one of the best aids to success. If that purpose be the resolve to save money your success will be sure and satisfactory.

A young man should anchor himself to a bank account as the first step to success. As his account grows so will his confidence in himself to make good.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

**CAPITAL
SURPLUS**

\$100,000.00
\$22,000.00

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public sale at my farm, 1 mile south of Pickering and 6 miles north of Maryville, on

Thursday, Nov. 23, 1911

The following property: 16 cows, all red; 1 thoroughbred Shorthorn bull, 2 2-year-old heifers, 1 yearling heifer, 15 yearling steers, 13 steer calves, 2 heifer calves, 1 mare with colt by side, 70 sheep, weight from 100 to 125 pounds, in good flesh.

TERMS—All sums of \$10 and under cash. Over \$10 a credit of six months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8 percent interest from date. Sale to begin at 11 o'clock. Ladies' Aid of Pickering will furnish lunch.

Chas. Evans, Auctioneer.
Howard Wray, Clerk.

ERY BOSCH

If Your Hogs Have Thumps Feed Big 4 Stock Powder

A guaranteed worm remover and conditioner for Hogs, Horses, Cattle and Sheep. Home manufactured. Mill 408 S. Buchanan St., Maryville, Mo. Office over First National Bank.

Big 4 Stock Powder Co.

HAIR HEALTH.

Take Advantage of This Generous Offer.

Your money back upon request at our store if Rexall "93" Hair Tonic doesn't do as we claim. That's our guarantee. You oblige yourself to nothing whatever. Could you ask or could we give you stronger proof of our confidence in the hair restoring qualities of this preparation?

We could not afford to so strongly endorse Rexall "93" Hair Tonic and continue to sell it as we do, if it did not do all we claim it will. Should our enthusiasm have carried us away, and Rexall "93" Hair Tonic not give entire satisfaction to the users, they would lose faith in us and our statements, and in consequence our business prestige would suffer.

We assure you that if your hair is beginning to unnaturally fall out or if you have any scalp trouble, Rexall "93" Hair Tonic will promptly eradicate dandruff, stimulate hair growth, and prevent premature baldness, or the above guarantee becomes operative. Two sizes, 50c. and \$1.00. Sold only at our store—The Rexall Store. The Orear-Henry Drug Co., 113 North Main Street.

Guest From Indiana.

J. B. Alumbaugh of Anderson, Ind., arrived in Maryville Thursday evening to visit his sister, Mrs. Mary J. Lund, on South Market street. He will also visit his brother, Peter Alumbaugh, of Barnard.

CURED TO STAY CURED.

How a Maryville Citizen Found Complete Freedom From Kidney Troubles.

If you suffer from backache—from urinary disorders—

From any disease of the kidneys. Be cured to stay cured.

Doan's Kidney Pills make lasting cures.

Maryville people testify.

Here's one case of it:

I. M. Woods, East Jenkins street, Maryville, Mo., says: "For some time kidney trouble had been lurking in my system, and although it did not bother me to any extent, I could see that the attacks were becoming more frequent and severe. Finally my kidneys became so badly disordered that I was obliged to seek relief. The kidney secretions were unusual and so irregular in passage as to annoy me greatly. I also had a pain in my back and could hardly stoop. Dizzy spells and headaches were common, and I was in a miserable condition when I learned of Doan's Kidney Pills. I began their use, and after I had taken the contents of three boxes I was free from kidney trouble."—(Statement given in 1901.)

Time is the Test.

On September 19, 1908, Mr. Wood added to the above: "The cure Doan's Kidney Pills effected in my case several years ago has been permanent. I am glad to again recommend this splendid remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn & Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Miss Elsie Pittsenbarger, who is employed in Stanberry, was in Maryville Friday morning on her way to Barnard for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pittsenbarger.

BLAME YOUR STOMACH.

Get Rid of the Poisonous Gases and Fermenting Food.

If you suffer from headaches, dizziness, biliousness, constipation, inactive liver, nervousness, sleeplessness, bad dreams, foul breath, heartburn, shortness of breath, sour stomach, or despondency, be sure and try Mi-o-na stomach tablets.

You might just as well get a 50 cent box today and start to put your stomach in tip-top shape and make your body feel fine and energetic.

You take no risk, not a particle, for Mi-o-na Stomach Tablets do not do all that is claimed for them. The Orear-Henry Drug company will return your money.

Guest From Excelsior Springs.

Mrs. V. W. Keene is entertaining Mrs. J. M. Lamar of Excelsior Springs.

Grows Hair at 65 Years of Age.

Dear Sirs: "I heard of Parisian Sage, and as my head would itch a good deal, I thought I would try it. I never used any remedies before and was bald on top of my head."

I am using the third bottle and have a lot of hair where I was bald.

I would like you to see the new hair sprouting from my head. The itching in my scalp quickly disappeared. I am 65 years old and have been at the Bazaar 51 years.

Wm. A. Hopper, auctioneer Harkness Bazaar, Ninth and Sansom Sts., Philadelphia, Pa.

Large bottle of Parisian Sage 50 cents. Guaranteed by the Koch pharmacy for dandruff, falling hair and scalp itch. Puts life and beauty into faded hair and is a delightful hair restorer.

PACKERS TRY FOR DELAY

SOLDIERS READY TO MOVE

PHILIPPINE TROOPS PREPARE FOR DUTY IN CHINA.

Not to Leave Except on President's Order—Needed as Part of International Police.

Washington, Nov. 17.—Not a soldier will leave the Philippines for China except on orders from President Taft. Such orders have not yet been given, and it is said that before acting the president is awaiting the arrival in Washington of Secretary Stimson and Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, chief of staff, who are returning from the West.

In anticipation of the issuance of the order the War Department has made every preparation for a speedy movement of the regiment from Manila to Wing Tao on the railroad running from Pekin by way of Ties Tsin to Mukden. The organization which will be sent has not yet been selected. It is presumed the choice will fall on one of the infantry regiments, of which there are now three at Manila or close by. Any one of these could be landed in Ching Wing Tao in about six or seven days.

Representations were made in an unofficial manner to the State Department several days ago by some of the foreign ministers in China, through the American legation, that it was incumbent on the United States to furnish troops as part of an international police force to keep open the railroads from Pekin to the sea and also to protect foreigners in the event of anarchy.

State department dispatches show that the financial situation in China fast is becoming critical; that there are less than 4 million taels in the treasury (probably equivalent to about 3 million dollars) including gifts from court funds. Fear is expressed that if the loyal troops are not paid they will revolt or disband.

"We are filing a motion to quash," said Mr. Sheehan, "and in that connection we propose to file affidavits in support of the motion."

The court: "There is nothing to prevent your filing affidavits."

Louis P. Swift, Edward F. Swift, Edward Tilden, Arthur Meeker, Edward Morris and Francis A. Fowler sat close together inside the rail.

The other men indicted, with the exception of J. Ogden Armour, who is abroad, sat close by.

The court room was crowded to the doors by men distinguished in the law.

When Judge Kohlsaat ascended the bench a great crowd of well known commercial and financial figures thronged the corridors and blocked the doors.

When court resumed after a recess of an hour, the packers again sought delay.

The direct assertion that the writ of habeas corpus in the packers' case was "improperly" issued by Judge Kohlsaat and that he has no right to review the decisions of the supreme court in the Standard Oil company and the tobacco trust, was made in behalf of the government.

After nearly three hours of preliminary argument Attorney Sheehan began the argument on the government's plea that Judge Kohlsaat had no jurisdiction to issue the writ which has blocked the prosecution of the packers.

Friendly Blow Not Murder.

Savannah, Mo., Nov. 17.—A jury in the circuit court brought in a verdict acquitting Lewis Crawford of the murder of Robert C. Scott, July 29. The two men were friends and in a friendly wrestling bout on the street here Crawford killed Scott with a blow of his fist.

An Old Kansas Editor Dead.

Iola, Kan., Nov. 17.—W. T. McElroy, 76, postmaster at Humboldt and editor of the Humboldt Union, died at his home. He had just returned from Wichita. Attempting to board a cab he fell and was picked up unconscious.

Mt. Ayr.

Quite a number in this community are on the sick list at present.

J. R. Jones and family have the sympathy of the entire community over the sudden death of their little child, which died last Thursday.

Rev. Royston of the Barnard charge is conducting a series of meetings at Arkooe at present.

Grandma Riley is reported to be very sick at present.

Master Earl Schoonover has been absent from school for a few days on account of a bad case of tonsillitis.

The estimating community of the Barnard charge met last Tuesday at Arkooe and placed the salary of their pastor, Rev. Royston, at eight hundred and fifty dollars and parsonage.

Ben Heitman has about completed the erection of a fine large new barn.

We hear of some corn selling as high as 60 cents per bushel.

F. Schweikhardt and J. A. Carmichael were business visitors in Arkooe Tuesday.

William Mozingo is attending court these days.

Seed corn is going to be a scarce article next spring, as it is hard to find many perfect ears.

The Rose Maiden, only 25¢ and 35¢, at the Christian church Friday night.

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Monday, December 4th.

1. Aiken, John H.; William L. Aiken, administrator.
2. Adwell, William H.; John F. Adwell, administrator.
3. Axell, Sophia; Joseph Jackson, executor.
4. Bradley, Lucius; S. H. Kemp, executor.
5. Broyles, Wilson; Samuel M. Chaney, administrator.
6. Butler, Nancy; Thomas H. Williams, administrator.
7. Bowers, E. E.; John F. Roelofson, public administrator.
8. Brown, Joseph; J. R. Johnson, curator.
9. Baker, Helen; D. R. Baker, curatrix.
10. Bloom, Peter and John; Daniel Stundun, guardian.

Tuesday, December 5th.

11. Bruce, John J.; John Z. Currott, public guardian.
12. Barclay, Elizabeth; W. A. Blagg, guardian.
13. Billings, Benjamin F. J.; George W. Thompson, curatrix.
14. Carden, John W.; Joseph S. Carden, administrator.
15. Conway, Richard; Julia A. Conway, executrix.
16. Cliser, David M.; Thomas E. Cliser, executor.
17. Cozad, James F.; A. C. Hopkins, public guardian.
18. Clayton, Daniel H.; D. S. Clayton, executor.
19. Davis, Thomas J.; H. Glover Davis, administrator.
20. Deidrick, Lottie, et al.; J. A. Bliley, curatrix.

Wednesday, December 6th.

21. Francis, Wm. A. and Violet A.; Charles I. Hann, curatrix.
22. Flanagan, Thos. W.; Joseph L. Hocker, administrator.
23. Fannon, Chas. M. and Beulah M.; Ellen E. Fannon, curatrix.
24. Goodson, Ethelbert N.; Bess M. Goodson, administratrix.
25. Goodson, Ethelbert N.; Bess M. Goodson, administratrix. (Owl pharmacy.)

Thursday, December 7th.

26. Goodson, Virginia; Bess M. Goodson, curatrix.
27. Graham, George; Johanna Graham, administratrix.
28. Garrett, William T.; Chas. L. Garrett and Wm. C. Pierce, executors.
29. Goff, Ova C.; E. H. Goff, curatrix.
30. Gorton, Robert; A. C. Hopkins, public guardian.

Friday, December 8th.

31. Hugbanks, Lillian; Leroy Hugbanks, guardian.
32. Holt, Gladys M.; Chas. A. Holt, curatrix.
33. Hoshor, George W.; Samuel Fisher, guardian.
34. Hansen, Alberta M.; John F. Hansen, curator.

35. Herndon, Horace; James W. Herndon, curator.
36. Halasey, Abigail; John Halasey guardian.
37. Hanna, Hildred; O. C. Hanna, curatrix.
38. Jenson, Harry, et al.; Andrew Jenson, curator.
39. Kenan, Bessie L., et al.; William H. Goforth, guardian.
40. Kimsey, Marion G.; Mary T. Kimsey, curatrix.

Friday, December 8th.

41. Kemper, Zula M.; Mollie Kemper, curatrix.
42. Kivett, George K.; J. L. Hepburn, public administrator.
43. Lucas, Hugh; William H. Goforth, administrator.
44. Louder, Leo J.; Guy C. Clary, curatrix.
45. Lake, Edwin B.; Walter S. Lake, guardian.
46. Linebaugh, Jacob; Edward E. Williams, administrator.
47. Murphy, Ira G.; S. G. Gilliam, executor.
48. Moberly & Blauvelt; Frank E. Blauvelt, administrator.
49. Martin, C. S.; Mary E. Martin, administratrix.
50. Morehouse, Gladys E.; Myrtle A. Morehouse, curatrix.

Saturday, December 9th.

51. Myers, Benjamin H. and Walter F.; C. I. Hann, curatrix.
52. Moore, A. D.; Susan Moore, executrix.
53. McDowell, John W.; Sarah McDowell, executrix.
54. McClurg, Thomas L.; H. H. McClurg, administrator.
55. O'Donnell, Patrick; Patrick J. O'Donnell, administrator.
56. Oury, John C.; Guy C. Clary, curatrix.
57. O'Donnell, James; James B. Robinson, executor.
58. Ryan, Charles; Francis M. Ryan and Charles Lawrence, executors.
59. Rogers, Frances E.; Fred E. Rogers, administrator.
60. Renshaw, Lucian C. and Everett L.; William J. Renshaw, curatrix.

Wednesday, December 13th.

61. Robertson, Mary Edna; J. B. Robertson, curatrix.
62. Reaksecker, Noble; Eva R. Reaksecker, curatrix.
63. Roelofson, Robert S.; John F. Roelofson, guardian.
64. Rice, James M.; Robert L. and Chas. H. Rice, executors.
65. Routh, David S.; A. H. Churchill, executor.
66. Ripley, Samuel W.; George E. Ripley and Charles Johnson, administrators.
67. Rush, Allie Marie; James B. Robinson, curatrix.
68. Rush, Mary; Arthur E. Rush, administrator.
69. Simmons, Roland M.; Julius C. Simmons, executor.

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Speakers Grill Commercial Congress for Not Getting Busy.

RIVER IMPROVEMENT IMPORTANT

Judge Cowan of Texas, Thinks Vital Subjects Affecting the West Should be Given More Attention.

Kansas City, Nov. 17.—Five speakers addressed the Trans-Mississippi congress during the afternoon at the Shubert theater. The session opened at 2 o'clock and continued until 5:30 o'clock. No business was transacted. Discussion and action on the various subjects presented in addresses to the congress has been prevented by the multiplicity of speakers. The work of passing on the various topics discussed by the speakers has been left to the committee on resolutions, which has been so busy that its members have been unable to hear the greater part of the speeches made.

A small audience heard speakers on "The Improvement of Inland Waterways for Navigation," "Life Insurance and Justice," "National Industrial Conditions" and the "Live Stock Industry." The delegates to the congress have been surprised with speeches and are impatient for some action to be taken on the various matters brought to the consideration of the congress.

Two of the speakers, Congressman Charles F. Booher of Savannah, Mo., and Judge Samuel H. Cowan of Fort Worth, Tex., had the hardihood to criticise the congress for taking up too many subjects and not taking action on any of them. The Savannah congressman thought that river improvement was the most important matter before the congress and urged that definite action be taken by the delegates. Inasmuch as the twenty-second session of the congress was called to consider Missouri river improvement, the delegates present agreed with the congressman and expressed their sentiment in hearty applause of the suggestion.

"We should not try to consider the Encyclopedia Britannica, but confine ourselves to a few vital points that entirely affect the West," Judge Cowan declared. Again the sparsely filled theater applauded the sentiment.

"We are not here to run the gamut of the world's problems," Judge Cowan continued, "but to take definite action on questions that we in the West are vitally interested in. We should get down to business on these points and go on record, unanimously if possible, in such a way that the rest of the country would know that there is a Trans-Mississippi congress and have a genuine respect for its action."

Other speakers were: John Burke, governor of North Dakota and president of the Upper Missouri River Improvement association; Darwin P. Kingsley, president of the New York Life Insurance company, and John H. Kirby of Houston, Tex.

BARN BURNERS AT LEE'S SUMMIT

Three Stables Destroyed, Together With Horses and Mules—Loss Over \$8,000.

Lee's Summit, Mo., Nov. 17.—Fire broke out in the horse and mule barns on the corner of Second and West Main streets at 12:10 a.m., destroying the building. The barns were brick with composition roof and were owned by Miss Dorothy Cooper of Kansas City. The fire spread to three private barns across the alley, burning them to the ground. One of the barns was owned by Colonel Younger, one by A. J. Sigfried and the third by Richard Williams. The volunteer fire department, with two streams of water, prevented the loss of the three dwellings near the barns. Seven head of mules and one horse were burned to death in the barn owned by Miss Cooper. The live stock was owned by W. H. Maxwell of Lee's Summit. Miss Cooper's barn was valued at \$8,000, with \$4,000 insurance. The three private barns were partly insured. The fire was of incendiary origin, it is believed.

Convict Finds Friends.

Iola, Kan., Nov. 17.—Sentiment in Iola, which has been against John Healy because he has been in prison before and was drunk when arrested, is beginning to swing to the man who is in the Kansas penitentiary for a crime another man committed. It is being admitted that as a matter of justice Healy should be released, no matter what his past record may have been. The case is the topic of the town and the majority of the expressions are all to the effect that Healy should be released without further delay.

A Train Kills a Farmer.

Springfield, Mo., Nov. 17.—David Everly, a retired farmer of Ash Grove, Mo., was run down by a freight train while crossing a bridge over the Sac river. He was 79 years old and a veteran of the civil war.

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